Hong Kong International Bowls Classic 2006 香港國際草地滾球精英賽



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Members of the Craigengower Cricket Club Welcome all bowlers to the Hong Kong International Bowls Classic 2006



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Message from the Chairman of Classic Organising Committee 精英賽籌委會主席獻詞



I am pleased to announce the resumption of the annual Hong Kong International Bowls Classic after last year's special event to mark the Silver Jubilee of this tournament.

For making possible such an internationally renowned and prestigeous event, I must express my sincere gratitude and appreciation to LCSD for their continuous funding, the Zhong Gang Zhi Ye for their generous sponsorship, to CCC, HKFC

and IRC for their venues and support, to all other sponsors, contributors, officials, umpires, markers and volunteers for their valuable assistance and support.

I would also like to welcome all our friends from overseas. For those who have been here before. I wish you all to continue to enjoy what the Classic can bring to you and retain your past successes. To those who are newcomers. I hope that after the tournament, what you have enjoyed and experienced here matches the high reputation that our Classic has earned.

Finally, I must thank my organizing committee for their efforts and contributions which will again make this year's Classic another success.

Good luck and good bowling.

Vincent Cheung

我很高興地宣佈經過去年特別舉辦之精英銀禧紀念賽之後,我們恢復舉辦一年 一度之國際草地滾球精英賽事。

能夠令到此項國際知名及卓越的賽事可以成功地舉辦,我必需衷心感激及多謝康 樂及文化事務署不斷的資助,中港置業的慷慨贊助,紀利華木球會、香港足球 會及印度遊樂會的支持、場地設施提供,和其他贊助者、損獻者、工作人員、 裁判、記分員及自願人士的寶貴支持和協助。

我亦在此歡迎所有從海外到來參賽的朋友,對一些曾經參賽者,我希望你們繼續 享受精英賽所能帶給的,並保持你們的賽績。對一些初次參與者,我期望在賽 事後,你們由精英賽事中所享受到及體驗到的,與我們知名的精英賽聲譽並無 不同。

最後,我要多謝籌委員會各成員所作出之貢獻及努力,得以令今屆之精英賽再度 成功舉辦。

祝大家好運!

張旭峯

Message from the Director of the Leisure & Cultural Services Department 康文及文化事務署署長獻詞



On behalf of the Leisure and Cultural Services Department, I have great pleasure in congratulating the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association (HKLBA) on hosting the Hong Kong International Bowls Classic 2006.

The Bowls Classic is the most significant event in the field of lawn bowling in Hong Kong. This year, top elite bowlers from ten overseas countries and from Hong Kong will compete in the tournament. All of them will put in their best performance. This star-studded international event will surely attract wide media coverage around the world, thereby helping to raise Hong Kong's

profile as an events capital of Asia.

The HKLBA has played a pivotal role in bringing this spectacular event to a success. With the Association's dedicated efforts, lawn bowling has been growing in popularity in Hong Kong, while at the same time the skill of local bowlers has elevated to international standard.

I wish the tournament every success and all overseas players a very pleasant and rewarding stay in Hong Kong.

Thomas Chow

欣悉香港草地滾球總會主辦2006年香港國際草地滾球精英賽,我謹代表康樂及 文化事務署衷心致賀。

這項國際邀請賽是本港草地滾球界最重要的賽事。今年,來自十個國家及多個本 地球會的頂尖球手將會匯聚香江,各顯本領,盡展所長。香港舉辦這項薈萃世界 級球手的國際賽事,必定會吸引各地傳媒爭相報道,對提升其作為「亞洲盛事 之都」的形象,肯定有莫大裨益。

本屆賽事得以順利籌辦,香港草地滾球總會實在居功至偉。在總會的大力推動 下,草地滾球運動在香港已日漸普及,而本地運動員的球技亦已躍升至國際 水平。

我謹祝賽事成績美滿,各位海外參賽健兒訪港旅程愉快,滿載而歸。

周達明





Message from the President of Sports Federation & Olympic Committee of Hong Kong, China 中國香港體育協會暨奧林匹克委員會會長獻詞



The festive month of December will once again be the time for the International Bowls Classic Tournament in Hong Kong which will host bowlers from China and nine other countries. This is a chance for all the local bowlers representing local clubs to vie with the best from all over the world and gauge where they stand in their skills and competitive edge.

Many fads have swept through the sporting world, particularly in recent years, and, as fashions ebb and wane, disappeared. Lawn bowling, however, will endure as one of those classic sports because its appeal is timeless. The supposed languor at which the game is played in the eyes of the uninitiated masks the drama, precision and calculation intrinsic to the game. Only those of the calm, cool, pensive disposition along with tactile dexterity can master the art of bowling.

We in the sports community ought to rally behind our bowlers and cheer of course their rivals from other jurisdictions. Hong Kong prides itself for its hospitality and also for its love of sports, which is becoming more and more evident, and the two elements ought to be in plain display in December for the lawn bowl classic. We enjoin one and all to show the guests what enthusiasm we can bring to hosting a major tournament which is yet another test for our preparations to stage the 2009 East Asian Games.

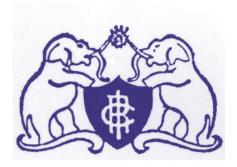
Timothy Fok

踏入12月,是香港體壇最繁忙的日子,一方面有多哈亞洲運動會,而香港亦會主 辦國際草地滾球精英賽,參賽的國家除中國隊外,還有九個國家。這次賽事給予 我們的運動員一次難得與其他強隊切磋的機會,從而提高本身的水平。

近年來,體育運動活動一如時裝展般,吸引著無數觀眾的注視。雖然,滾球運動 是一項古典體育項目,但仍有不少人參與這項溫文爾雅的體育運動。

我們作為體育城市,不時都會舉辦一些國際體育賽事。事實上,香港人十分喜愛 體育,有足夠能力舉辦盛大的體育競賽,這次12月的邀請賽可以證明。同時,藉 著這次活動,也可作為我們主辦2009東亞運動會時的借鏡,吸取經驗。

霍震霆



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Classic Memories 2005 二OO五年賽事回顧

A Year of Youngsters Achievement

The year 2005 saw the Silver Jubilee of the Hong Kong International Bowls Classic. With a number of past champions coming back for the event, the stars of this year's tournament was surprisingly some of Hong Kong's home-grown young stars.

To celebrate this special occasion, the Classic Organising Committee decided to invite all the past winners back to Hong Kong to compete for the honour of being the winners in the jubilee year of this internationally renowned event.

After an intensified search around the globe, a total of 12 overseas and four local past winners accepted the invitation to return for the silver jubilee tournament.

The Singles

The Singles competition was played on November 26th and 27th at Craigengower Cricket Club.

In the first round of the competition, several ex-champions, especially those from Scotland, experienced the emerging capability of Hong Kong local players and were, surprisingly, knocked-out at the first hurdle. Derek Chok (CCC) defeated Israel's Jeff Rabkin, Raymond Wu (HKFC) defeated Scotland's Willie Wood, Joseph Chok (CCC) defeated Scotland's Brian Middlemass and Dickson Ha (KCC) defeated Scotland's Graham Robertson. Hong Kong champion David Tso was also knocked-out by Chris Chiu (KBGC) in the first round.







Hong Kong player George Souza Jnr (1984 Singles and 1983, 1984 and 1994 Pairs) rolled back the years to reach the semi-final. He lost to the eventual winner of the event, New Zealander Paul Girdler (2002 Pairs), and missed the opportunity to appear in the Singles final.

On the other half of the knock-out table, KBGC youngster Heron Lau defeated three past Classic champions to reach the final. He swept aside Hong Kong's Noel Kennedy, Ireland's Noel Graham, Scotland's George Sneddon and several Hong Kong champions, to reach the final. He also defeated Robin and Philip from CCC's Chok family in the earlier rounds.



Paul Girdler defeated a number of local bowlers, and Australian Robbie Dobbins (1981 Pairs) and George Souza Jnr, to reach the final. He saved his best for the last game to run away with his first Classic Singles title by defeating Heron Lau 6-1, 9-5 in less than an hour. He also became the first New Zealander to win the Classic Singles crown since Peter Belliss in 1989.

The Pairs

The Pairs competition was played from November 28th to December 4th at the Kowloon Bowling Green Club. The 24 competing teams included the six visiting countries, two Hong Kong teams, a Hong Kong Youth team, a selected Association pair and pairs from nine local clubs. They were divided into two groups and played against each other in the round-robin stage, with the top four teams of each group qualifying for the quarter-finals.



In Group A, the only game that group leader KBGC lost in the round robin stage was against second placed Scotland. The other two teams who qualified in this group were International A and Australia. In Group B, Ireland also won 10 of the games they played. The only team that beat them in the round robin stage was International B who failed, however, to qualify for the knock-out stage because of a lower shot difference. The other three teams who qualified were Hong Kong B, Zhong Gang (sponsor team) and a LBA team represented by two of the youngest players of the tournament, Lee Ka Ho and Ken Chan.



The LBA team beat KBGC 18-11 in the quarter final, then defeated International A, comprising South Africa's Neil Burkett and Israel's Jeff Rabkin, 23-15 to reach the final. Another finalist, two times Classic pairs champion Ireland, overcame Australia 18-8 and Scotland A 25-14 in the quarter and semi.

In the final, Ireland's Noel Graham and Jonathan Ross narrowly defeated the LBA team 14-10 to record their third Classic pair's title. Despite the defeat, the two youngsters reflected a high degree of success for the youth development programs organised by the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association. It proved that the programs are on the right track, and now Hong Kong looks forward to having a pair who can match the world's best.



Classic Memories 2005 二OO五年審事回顧

年青球手邁向成熟的一年

2005年的香港國際草地滾球精英賽銀禧大賽,除了見到不少過往的冠軍球手來港角逐 外,幾位本港土生土長的年青球壇新星的表現最令人驚喜。

為了慶祝精英賽的銀禧紀念,賽事籌委會決定邀請所有過往的冠軍球手重臨香港,競逐 這項國際聞名大賽的銀禧紀念冠軍。邀請函發送到世界各地,結果共有十二位外國及四 位本港前度冠軍球手接納邀請。



單人審事

單人賽於2005年11月26及27日假紀利華木球會舉行。

在第一圈賽事中,幾位前冠軍球手,特別是蘇格蘭的 球員深深感受到本地球手日漸成熟的球技,並出乎意 料地被淘汰出局,其中包括紀利華木球會的祝鴻章打 敗以色列的聶敬,香港足球會的胡漢強勝蘇格蘭的活 特,紀利華木球會的祝建中擊退蘇格蘭的麥道馬斯, 九龍木球會的哈耀亮亦擊敗羅拔遜,而香港的冠軍曹 大偉亦被九龍草地滾球會的趙建華淘汰,無緣晉級。

另一位香港的冠軍球手蘇沙(1983及1984年單人賽冠軍,1984及1994年雙人賽冠軍)狀態 大勇,殺入準決賽,可惜他最終敗於今屆的單人賽得主新西蘭的賈達拿,未有機會於決 審中現身。

在淘汰表的另一線,九龍草地滾球會的青年 選手劉曉昂,連續擊敗三位前冠軍球手而 晉身決賽。他先後勇挫香港的肯尼迪、愛爾蘭的格 雷姆及蘇格蘭的史奈頓。他在比賽初段更將代表紀 利華木球會的祝鴻基及祝建勳的祝氏家族淘汰。

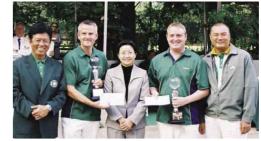
賈達拿則打敗數名本地球手、澳洲的杜賓斯 (1981年雙人賽冠軍)及香港的蘇沙後,順利取得決 **賽資格。決賽一役,賈達拿發揮水準,於一小時內** 以6:1及9:5輕取劉曉昂,成為繼白禮時於1989年奪 得單人賽冠軍後另一位奪標的新西蘭球手。







雙人賽事



雙人審於2005年11月28日至12月4日假九 龍草地滾球會舉行。二十四支參賽球隊包

括六支外隊、兩支香港隊、一支香港青年軍、一支香港草地滾球總會隊及九支本港甲組 球隊。賽事以分組循環制進行,分兩組作賽,每組排名前四名的隊伍可晉身半準決賽。

A組方面,一直領先的九龍草地滾球會只輸了一場給緊追其後的蘇格蘭隊,另外兩隊打入 半準決賽的球隊分別是國際A隊及澳洲隊。而B組方面,愛爾蘭隊以十場勝利的紀錄排名 榜首,於循環賽階段打敗愛爾蘭隊的是國際B隊,可惜,他們因得失球差而未能晉身最 後的淘汰階段。另外三隊成功打入半準決賽的隊伍包括:香港B隊、中港置業(賽事贊助 商)及由賽事中最年輕球手李嘉浩及陳健馳所組成的香港草地滾球總會隊。

香港草地滾球總會隊於半準決賽時,以18:11擊退九龍草地滾球會,繼而以23:15挫敗由 南非的貝傑及以色列的聶敬組成的國際A隊而殺入決賽。他們於決賽面對的對手是兩屆精 英賽雙人賽冠軍愛爾蘭隊,該隊於半準決賽以18:8勝澳洲及於準決賽時以25:14氣走蘇格 蘭而晉級決賽。

在決賽中,由格雷姆夥拍羅斯的愛爾蘭隊以14:10險勝香港草地滾球總會隊,三度奪得 香港國際精英賽雙人賽冠軍的殊榮。雖然被愛爾蘭隊擊敗,兩位青年軍的表現,充分顯 示了香港草地滾球總會致力推行的青少年發展計劃已取得相當成績,亦証明了發展計劃 的方向是正確的。現在,香港正期盼著可以培訓出一對能與世界頂尖球手看齊的本地運 動員。



	Country	Overseas past winners	Singles	Pairs
	國家		軍人賽	雙人賽
1	Australia 澳洲	Rex JOHNSTON 莊士東		1989
2	Australia 澳洲	Robbie DOBBINS 杜賓斯		1981
3	Ireland 愛爾蘭	Noel GRAHAM 格雷姆	1995	1999, 2000
4	Ireland 愛爾蘭	Jonathan ROSS 羅斯		1999, 2000
5	Israel 以色列	Jeff RABKIN 聶敬		1993
6	New Zealand 新西蘭	Paul GIRDLER 賈達拿		2002
7	Scotland 蘇格蘭	Kenny LOGAN 勞根		1995
8	Scotland 蘇格蘭	Brian MIDDLEMASS 麥道馬斯		1987
9	Scotland 蘇格蘭	Graham ROBERTSON 羅拔遜	1990, 1993	1990
10	Scotland 蘇格蘭	George SNEDDON 史奈頓	2000	2001
11	Scotland 蘇格蘭	Willie WOOD 活特		1985, 1986
12	South Africa 南非	Neil BURKETT 貝傑		1996
		Local past winners		
		本地往屆冠軍球手		
1	Hong Kong 香港	Philip Chok 祝建勳		1983, 1984
2	Hong Kong 香港	George SOUZA Jnr. 蘇沙	1984	1983, 1984, 1994
3	Hong Kong 香港	David TSO 曹大偉		1994
4	Hong Kong 香港	Noel KENNEDY 肯尼迪	1994	1988



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Tournament Rules 比賽規則

The Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association, the "Controlling Body", has appointed a "Panel of Umpires" and all decisions by this panel on the tournament and actual match play shall be final.

The Controlling Body shall have the power to alter or amend the programme of the event as it shall consider necessary or desirable, in view of unfavourable weather or other adverse conditions, and may suspend play temporarily in any game or abandon any game. Any decision to curtail the number of ends to be played shall be made before the commencement of any game, and such decision shall only be due to or on the grounds of shortage of time to complete a programme. In the event of a power failure causing a blackout the Controlling Body shall determine what course of action is to be taken.

Long, cream or white trousers shall be worn - no shorts. Belts will be white or cream not black. White or brown shoes to be worn.

SINGLES

The tournament shall be conducted in accordance with the "Laws of the Sport of Bowls, Thurd Edition" of World Bowls.

Each match will comprise of two sets of seven ends. A set is decided when a player is unable to win or draw in the remaining ends. The winner of the game shall be the player who wins both sets or wins a set and ties a set. In the event of a tie, when each player has won a set or both sets are drawn, a tie-break of three additional ends will be played. The player who wins two of the ends in the tie-break, not the player who gains the most shots, will be the winner of the match.

- 1. Before start of play or on resumption of an unfinished game, not more than one trial end each way shall be played, with two bowls each.
- 2. In the first set the players shall toss a coin before the start of the game; the winner of the toss shall have the option to either take the mat and have the jack and first bowl or allow the opponent to have the mat, jack and first bowl in the first set.

In the second set, the winner of the first set has the options described above. If the first set is a draw, the winner of the last scoring end in that set has the options.

During the tie-breaker, the opponents should toss a coin and the winner of the toss has the options described above.

- 3. No visit of head until the player has delivered his third bowl.
- 4. Re-spotting the Jack: If a jack in motion passes completely outside the boundaries of the rink of play, or rebounds to a distance of less than 20 metres from the mat line, the end should not be declared dead. Instead, the jack should be placed with the nearest point of the jack to the mat line at the appropriate spot according to the World Bowls rules, and game continue to play until the end.
- 5. All players are required to arrive for the game at the scheduled time. Should any player not turn up at the specified competition time, the game will be forfeited to the opposition.

PAIRS

The Tournament shall be conducted in accordance with the "Laws of the Sport of Bowls, Third Edition" of World Bowls.

The competition will be in a format of round-robin and single elimination in guarterfinals, semi-finals and final. A game will be deemed finished when 18 ends have been completed.

- 1. Before start of play or on resumption of an unfinished game, not more than one trial end each way shall be played, with two bowls each.
- 2 No visit to the head for the lead
- 3. Re-spotting the Jack: If a jack in motion passes completely outside the boundaries of the rink of play, or rebounds to a distance of less than 20 metres from the mat line, the end should not be declared dead. Instead, the jack should be placed with the nearest point of the jack to the mat line at the appropriate spot according to the World Bowls rules, and game continue to play until the end.
- 4. All players are required to arrive for the game at the scheduled time. Should any player not turn up at the specified competition time, the team shall forfeit the game to the opposition, with a shots difference of minus nine.
- 5. With the approval from the Panel of Umpires, substitute players will only be allowed when an original player is deemed unable to play due to injury / sickness. Only one substitute will be allowed for each team and they can only play as lead.
- 6. Section winners shall be decided on the basis of two points for a win and one point for a tie. The top four teams from each section will qualify for the quarter-finals and will be paired as shown on the programme page.
- 7. Where points are equal, the shots difference shall decide the teams for the guarter-finals.
- 8. In the event of equality in paragraph 7, the result of the game already played between the two teams shall decide the winner.
- 9. If equality still exists in paragraph 8, then the following shall determine the qualifiers : (a) Total shots for;
 - (b) If still equal, the most ends won;
 - (c) If still equal, the toss of a coin will decide the winner.
- 10. Quarter-Finals, Semi-Finals and Final: In the event of a tie after the 18th end has been completed an extra end or ends shall be played until a decision has been reached.

Any participant being found to have any misconduct which might affect the competition or not following the rules, the Controlling Body reserves the right to default the participant from the competition.







Tournament Rules 比審規則

香港草地滾球總會為賽事之「監管機構」,該會己委任一個「裁判團|負責就賽事中 所有事項發出裁決,其決定亦將是賽會的最終決定。

在天氣轉壞或出現其他不利條件下,監管機構為求圓滿完成賽事,可因應環境修改 春程、暫時停止比賽、終止賽事或更改賽事條款。任何更改比賽局數的決定將在有關 比賽開始前作出宣佈,而此決定只會在比賽時間不足以完成整項賽事的情況下始會 作出。假如出現電力故障令賽事難以繼續,監管機構將因應情況作出決定。

球昌必須穿著以白色或米色為主的長褲、不可穿短褲。皮帶亦須以白色或米色為主, 不可用黑色。鞋則以白色或棕色為主。

置人賽

賽事將根據世界滾球總會的賽事規例(第三版)舉行。

每場比賽包括兩盤各七局的比賽,對賽球員如勝出兩盤比賽或取得一勝一和,即為 勝方。假如雙方各勝一盤或兩盤均戰成和局,比賽就視作打和,需要加賽一盤三局制 比賽。在附加盤中先勝兩局者為勝方,在附加盤中將不會計算每局得分。

- 1. 在正式開始任何比賽或在他日恢復未完成的賽事,球員可在每一方向進行不超過一個 的試局,每局兩球。
- 2. 比賽開始的第一盤, 球員應擲臺決定發球權; 擲臺勝方可選擇在第一局自己先發出目標球及 首枚滾球,或是容許對手先發出目標球及首枚 滚球。在第二盤開始時,首盤勝方將有權選擇 自己先發出目標球及首枚滾球,或是容許對手 先發出目標球及首枚滾球。如果第一盤是 和局,該盤最後一局的勝方可擁有以上的選擇 權。決勝盤時,雙方以擲毫決定,勝方可擁有 以上的選擇權。



- 3. 球員在發出己方的第三枚滾球後始可以上前視察球局。
- 4. 重置目標球:當目標球被擊出邊線或超越球場界限,或反彈至距發球地蓆線短於 20米,該局將不會被視為「廢|局,而目標球將被放置於世界草地滾球總會規例指定 之地點,繼續作賽。
- 5. 各參賽者須於大會指定時間到達比賽場地報到。凡屆比賽時間仍未出席,則作自動 棄權論。

雙人賽

賽事將根據世界滾球總會的賽事規例(第三版)進行。

比賽將以循環制進行,半準決賽、準決賽及決賽則採用單淘汰制。比賽以完成十八局為 完結。

- 1. 在正式開始任何比賽或在他日恢復未完成的賽事,球員可在每一方向進行不超過一個 的試局,每局兩球。
- 2. 先鋒球手不能上前視察球局。
- 3. 重置目標球:當目標球被擊出邊線或超越球場界限,或反彈至距發球地蓆線短於 20米,該局將不會被視為「廢」局,而目標球將被放置於世界草地滾球總會規例指定 之地點,繼續作賽。
- 4. 所有球員必須於預定比賽時間到達場地,否則該隊將被判輸九個得失球分給對方。
- 5. 當球員因傷或病而不能作賽時,必須獲得裁判團的允許才可使用替補球員。每次只准 换一名球員,該替補球員只可擔任先鋒球手的位置。
- 6. 比賽中,勝方得兩分,賽和各得一分。每組得分最高的四隊將可進入半準決賽, 對賽安排請參考賽程表。
- 7. 當循環賽完成後隊伍之分數相同時,將以得失球數目決定進入半準決賽的隊伍。
- 8. 當第7項的結果相同時,將以有關隊伍對賽的成績決定名次。
- 9. 若第8項的結果仍然相同時, 賽會將以下列數據決定名次: (a) 得分總數 (b) 若仍然打和,則以勝出總局決定

(c) 假若仍然打和, 則以擲毫決定名次

10.半準決賽、準決賽及決賽中,假如對賽雙方在完成第十八局比賽之後仍然平手的話, 便須進行附加局比賽,而首先勝出附加局者為勝方。

參賽球員如被發現有任何違規的行為或不跟從比賽規則者,監管機構保留取消該球員的 參賽資格。





Previous Classic Winners 歷屆精英賽冠軍

	PAIRS 雙人賽	SINGLES 單人賽
1981	Newcastle District B.A. (D. Ross / R. Dobbins)	Not Played
1983	Hong Kong (P. Chok / G. Souza Jnr.)	P. Belliss (New Zealand)
1984	Hong Kong (P. Chok / G. Souza Jnr.)	G. Souza Jnr. (Hong Kong)
1985	Scotland (G. Adrain / W. Wood)	G. Adrain (Scotland)
1986	Scotland (G. Adrain / W. Wood)	P. Richards (Australia)
1987	Scotland (R. Corsie / B. Middlemass)	P. Richards (Australia)
1988	Hong Kong (N. Kennedy / M. McMahon)	R. Corsie (Scotland)
1989	Australia (R. Johnston / T. Morris)	P. Belliss (New Zealand)
1990	Scotland (G. Robertson / A. Marshall)	G. Robertson (Scotland)
1993	Israel (C. Bransky / J. Rabkin)	G. Robertson (Scotland)
1994	Craigengower Cricket Club (D. Tso / G. Souza Jnr.)	N. Kennedy (Hong Kong)
1995	Scotland (K. Logan / A. Marshall)	Noel Graham (Ireland)
1996	South Africa (Gerry Baker / Neil Burkett)	John Noonan (Australia)
1997	England (Stuart Airey / Andrew Wills)	Adam Jeffery (Australia)
1998	England (Stuart Airey / Andrew Wills)	Adam Jeffery (Australia)
1999	Ireland (Jonathan Ross / Noel Graham)	Adam Jeffery (Australia)
2000	Ireland (Jonathan Ross / Noel Graham)	George Sneddon (Scotland)
2001	Scotland (George Sneddon / Alex Marshall)	Jason Greenslade (Wales)
2002	New Zealand (Paul Girdler / Russell Meyer)	David Peacock (Scotland)
2004	England (Graham Shadwell / Mark Walton)	Mark Walton (England)
2005	Ireland (Noel Graham / Jonathan Ross)	Paul Girdler (New Zealand)

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Ireland 愛爾蘭

Indian Recreation Club 印度遊樂會

Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association

香港草地滾球總會

Singapore 新加坡

Victoria Lawn Bowls Club

維多利亞草地滾球會



LBA-YDT 香港青少年代表隊



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南非







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菲律賓會



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New Zealand 新西蘭

United States 美國







Greende Lawn Bowls Club 綠圓草地滾球會



Hong Kong Police Lawn Bowls Club 香港警察草地滾球會



Kowloon Bowling Green Club Kowloon Cricket Club 九龍草地滾球會 九龍木球會





Recreation Club 三軍聯會



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Classic Singles Fixtures 單人賽賽程表



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Brian Lee	KBGC	35
Jim Olson	USA	36
Ken Chan	LBA	37
Jerry Ng	LBA-YDT	38
Joseph Chok	CCC	39
Jeremy Henry	IRE	4(
Paul Girdler	NZ	41
Cyril Leung	HKFC	42
Danny Wong	AYFP	43
areth Thomas	WALES	44
Neil Burkett	SA	45
James Ho	KBGC	46
M. H. Sze	FC	47
erence Kwan	НКЈС	48
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Heron Lau	KBGC	51
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nam Shadwell	ENG	53
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Classic Pairs Fixtures 雙人賽賽程表

	Round / 賽事	Round 賽事2	Round 賽事3	Round 賽事	Round 5	Round 賽事	Round 賽事	Round 賽事	Round 賽事	Round 10 賽事	Round 1 賽事
Date 日期	11 Dec 06 Mon	11 Dec 06 Mon	12 Dec 06 Tue	12 Dec 06 Tue	12 Dec 06 Tue	13 Dec 06 Wed	13 Dec 06 Wed	15 Dec 06 Fri	15 Dec 06 Fri	15 Dec 06 Fri	16 Dec 06 Sat
Time 時間	2:00pm	6:30pm	10:00am	2:00pm	6:30pm	10:00am	2:00pm	10:00am	2:00pm	6:30pm	10:00am
Rink1 線道	Brunei VS China	GLBC VS KBGC	USA VS FC	Wales Vs LBA-YDT	England vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	Scotland VS IRC	New Zealand Vs Ireland	China Vs Hong Kong	HKLBA VS Singapore	CdeR Vs KCC	Scotland VS FC
Rink2 線道	CCC VS England	VLBC VS HKFC	CdeR VS Wales	FC vs Singapore	CCC vs Ireland	HKPBC VS South Africa	Hong Kong Vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	Brunei Vs New Zealand	KCC VS LBA-YDT	USA VS HKLBA	China VS Zhong Gang Zhi Ye
Rink3 線道	CdeR Vs FC	Singapore VS LBA-YDT	VLBC VS CCC	HKFC vs Brunei	HKLBA VS Wales	GLBC Vs China	Scotland VS KCC	USA VS HKPBC	KBGC Vs Ireland	New Zealand Vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	CdeR Vs Singapore
Rink 線道	HKLBA VS LBA-YDT	Scotland VS HKPBC	GLBC VS New Zealand	Hong Kong VS CCC	Singapore VS IRC	HKFC Vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	FC VS South Africa	KCC VS Wales	Brunei Vs England	KBGC Vs China	KCC Vs IRC
Rink5 線道	GLBC VS Hong Kong	China Vs England	Scotland VS Singapore	HKPBC VS KCC	China vs New Zealand	CdeR Vs HKLBA	VLBC Vs Brunei	KBGC Vs HKFC	USA VS IRC	Wales vs South Africa	HKFC vs New Zealand
Rink 線道	HKPBC VS IRC	KCC VS HKLBA	China VS Ireland	KBGC vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	USA vs Scotland	Hong Kong Vs England	CdeR Vs LBA-YDT	Singapore Vs South Africa	VLBC Vs New Zealand	HKFC Vs CCC	KBGC vs England
Rink 7 線道	KCC Vs Singapore	CdeR VS USA	KBGC Vs Hong Kong	New Zealand vs England	LBA-YDT VS South Africa	VLBC Vs Ireland	Wales Vs IRC	HKLBA VS FC	China Vs CCC	GLBC Vs Brunei	HKLBA VS South Africa
Rink 8 線道 8	HKFC VS Ireland	Brunei Vs CCC	HKLBA VS IRC	USA vs South Africa	KBGC VS VLBC	FC Vs LBA-YDT	GLBC vs England	CCC Vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	Scotland VS Wales	HKPBC vs Singapore	GLBC VS CCC
Rink9 線道	KBGC Vs New Zealand	Zhong Gang Zhi Ye Vs Ireland	HKPBC VS LBA-YDT	Scotland VS HKLBA	Brunei VS Hong Kong	USA VS KCC	HKFC Vs China	GLBC VS VLBC	CdeR Vs South Africa	FC Vs IRC	Brunei vs Ireland
Rink 線道	Scotland VS South Africa	Wales Vs FC	Brunei Vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	GLBC vs Ireland	CdeR VS HKPBC	New Zealand Vs CCC	USA vs Singapore	LBA-YDT Vs IRC	HKFC VS Hong Kong	VLBC vs England	USA VS LBA-YDT
Rink 線道	VLBC Vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	New Zealand Vs Hong Kong	KCC VS South Africa	CdeR VS IRC	GLBC VS HKFC	Wales vs Singapore	KBGC Vs CCC	England Vs Ireland	HKPBC Vs FC	Scotland Vs LBA-YDT	VLBC VS Hong Kong
Rink 線道12	USA Vs Wales	South Africa VS IRC	HKFC VS England	VLBC vs China	KCC VS FC	KBGC vs Brunei	HKPBC VS HKLBA	CdeR vs Scotland	GLBC Vs Zhong Gang Zhi Ye	Hong Kong Vs Ireland	HKPBC Vs Wales





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Classic Pairs Knockout Phase 雙人賽淘汰階段進程







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Players Profile 國家隊及球會球員簡介

Brunei 文萊



PMS Chuchu 朱 柱

Gold medalist in Triples at the Asian Championship 2006, this is Chuchu's second participation in this Classic Pairs since 2000. He wishes to do well this year with many LAWA LAWA bowls. Watch out Tony TONG !!!



Lokman Hj Salleh 沙力

Lokman comes back again for Classic 06. He has enjoyed playing this event since 2002 and is looking forward to play again. He represented his country at the Asian Championship 2006 and won a gold medal in the Triples. He has been playing bowls for 15 years.

China 中國



Li Ying Qin 黎應勤

Mr. Li Ying Qing has been bowling for 10 years in Guangzhou and he represented China in the Tiger Bowls 2003 - 2006, World Indoor Singles 2004, Asia Pacific Bowls 2005 and China Bowls Open 2006. This is his debut in the HK International Classic.



Huang Dong Gao 黃東高

Huang Dong Gao has represented China since 2002. He represented his country in the Asian Bowls 2002, Tiger Bowls 2000 - 2005, China Bowls Open 2006 and won the Gold in the China-HK-Macau tournament 2006. This is Huang's second visit to the HK International Classic.

Craigengower Cricket Club 紀利華木球會



Derek Chok 祝鴻章

Derek is both excited and honoured to be taking part in his 3rd consecutive Classic. This year, the Classic Pairs will be held at his home Club CCC. He is looking forward to some quality lawn bowls games, and hopefully to give something to the home crowd to cheer about. He would like to wish all participants good bowling, and to make a very special tournament even much more special this year.



Joseph Chok 祝建中

Joseph has been playing bowls for only two years. Early this year he was very fortunate to participate and won the 2006 Aitkenhead Shield game. Although he is a new player, he is very keen in learning the game and practices 4 days a week. He enjoys bowls very much because it gives him a chance to play in various clubs and to meet a lot of very nice people.

Club de Recreio 西洋波會



Donald Abraham 歐當奴

Donald is 57 years of age and has been bowling for 18 years. He is making his second appearance for Club de Recreio in the Hong Kong International Bowls Classic Pairs, his first being in 1996. He currently represents his club in both the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls league and the Inter-Club Bridge league and is very honored to have been selected to represent his club in this year's Classic Pairs, this being Recreio's Centenary Year.

Hermilio Goncalves 龔美路

Hermilio is 61 years old, married with one daughter. He is also known to all his friends as "Miro". He took up bowls after his retirement form HSBC, Hong Kong in the year 2000. He is currently an active member of the club's 1st Division team. Miro's participation in the Hong Kong International Bowls Classic this year will give him the opportunity to gain invaluable experience to enhance his game.

England 英格蘭



Graham Shadwell 沙維爾

Graham, aged 31, has been bowling since the age of 8. He is married to Debbie who also plays and has 2 boys Alex aged 11 and Jamie age 4, both of whom are playing. This will be his 3rd visit to Hong Kong and has enjoyed both visits so far. He look forward to meeting up with old and new friends this time.



Mark Walton 禾 頓

Mark is 40 years old. He has 3 children, Louise (11), Amy (9), Dean (7). He has played bowls since he was 15 and enjoy meeting people and making new friends, which bowls gives him the opportunity to do. Mark is looking forward to his second trip to Hong Kong and the warm welcome as received last time. Hopefully with the same success as before!

Filipino Club 菲律賓會



Joseph Siu 蕭坤全

Joseph has been playing bowls for more than 10 years and has been a regular player with the club in league games. He twice won the Club singles and represented the club in the "Champion of Champions" competition. This will be his second Classic Pairs competition following last year's appearance. He is looking forward to playing amongst some of the best bowl players in the world.



M.H. Sze 施明輝

Sze is both a geography teacher and the coordinator of extra-curricular activities in a secondary school. He loves the beauty of nature and enjoys green life. Lawn bowling is now his most favourite pastime from which he gets relaxation as well as satisfaction. He is prepared to take up challenges and learn from the other bowlers in the Classic games.

Greende Lawn Bowls Club 綠圓草地滾球會



M.C. Wong 黃敏清

MC is a civil servant and have been playing lawn bowls for the past quarter century. He has won many club titles and played in the Classic Singles twice. He is a novice of the Classic Pairs.



Willie Lai 黎耀榮

Willie has won numerous titles at national and club levels, and has regularly represented Hong Kong in the past decade, adding some international titles to his collection. He was the triples gold medalist in the Asia-Europe Bowls Classic 2003 and triples silver medalist in the Asia Championship 2003. This will be Willie's debut with GLBC in the Classic Pairs, after representing CCC in many Classics. He was the Best Local Player 2002 and a previous Classic Singles Finalist.

Hong Kong Football Club 香港足球會



Bernard Young 楊麟飛

Bernard Young has been bowling since 2002. He represented Hong Kong Football Club to play in the 'China Bowls Open 2006' in Shenzhen, China. He was awarded the most improved bowler of the year of the Club. Recently Bernard is in the A Team squad and is the Coach of the Lawn Bowls Section. His Team just won the Division I Premier League championship and he was a team member of the best rink. He wishes to take this opportunity to learn more from top world bowlers

S.K. Ng 吳樹光



S.K. has been playing bowls for 8 years and is an active player in all National and League games. He won numerous League Champions and also the winner of National Fours in 2002. Playing with top bowlers from all countries in the world to make new friendship is his wish. This will be the second time S.K. has played in the Hong Kong International Bowls Classic.







Players Profile 國家隊及球會球員簡介

Hong Kong 香港



James Cheng 鄭仲明

James has been playing bowls for 16 years and is the current Bowler of the Year. He is an experienced bowler having won numerous medals at the Asian and Asian Pacific Championships between 1999 and 2005, not to mention the achievements he has attained at local competitions.



Dickson Ha 哈耀亮

This will be the fourth experience of the Classic for Dickson but it is the first time he represents Hong Kong. Dickson also took part at the Asian Bowls in 2001, 2005 and 2006 as a member of HK team. He won his major international event with Jimmy Chiu and James Keung in Triples at the Asian Bowls 2005. He is happy to be able to partner with James Cheng in representing HK in the Classic this year.

Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association 香港草地滾球總會



Lee Ka Ho 李嘉浩

Started bowling at age 12, Ka Ho is a very talented young bowler. He is happy to team up with Ken again this year in the Classic Pairs. In the past two years, he played Noel Kennedy's third and has learned a lot of bowling techniques from Noel. He wishes to say 'thank you' to him.



Ken Chan 陳健馳

Ken started playing bowls at the age of 10 and has been playing for 11 years. This is his fifth entry in this tournament. Ken is looking forward to make some new friendship here and to learn from each bowler by exchanging views.

Hong Kong Police Lawn Bowls Club 香港警察草地滾球會



Milo Lai 黎燦威

Milo joined the Hong Kong Police Force in 1979 and is a serving police sergeant working in Mongkok District. He started lawn bowling in 1997 and has been playing in the top division since 2003. He has won numerous Championships in national competitions and was a member of the Champion team for the top Division in Hong Kong Premier League 2004. This is the first time he plays in Classic Pairs. He is married and has three sons. His wife, Kelly, is also an active bowler for the Hong Kong Police Lawn Bowls Club.



Eric Yim 嚴景忠

Eric joined the Hong Kong Police Force in 1977 and is a serving police sergeant working in Yautsim District. Mr. YIM is a talented player. He started lawn bowling in 2002 and has been playing in the top division since 2004. He was a member of the Champion team as well as a member of the Champion rink for the top Division in Hong Kong Premier League 2004. He won numerous club titles including Club Novice Singles in 2004 & Club Singles in 2005. He also won the HKLBA Novice Singles in 2005. Mr. YIM is married with two children.

Indian Recreation Club 印度遊樂會



Slawee Kadir 祈 達

Slawee is a retired prison officer who started bowling in 1953. He has been skipping for more than 10 years and has won the National Fours 1985, 1992, 1993 in Hong Kong. He represented the Club in the Classic Pairs in 1986. He also represented Hong Kong at Hockey in 1962, 1966 Asian Games and in the 1964 Tokyo Olympics.



J.S. Dhillon 狄 倫

J.S. has been playing bowls for 10 years. He originally found fame on the hockey field. He took up lawn bowls in 1995 and quickly adapted to the sport. J.S. is a regular in the Club "A" team and, when not playing bowls, enjoys a game of badminton. This is his third appearance in the Classic.

Ireland 愛爾蘭



Jeremy Henry 亨利

Jeremy is a member of the Portrush Club based on the famous Antrim Coast has been playing bowls since he was 13 years old and has been a member of the Irish International team since 1994. He won his first Irish Singles title in 1996, winning both the Junior and Open Championships and in the same year went on to win the British Isles title. He holds Commonwealth Games Singles medals (Silver 2002, Bronze 1998) and this year won a Silver medal in the triples. In 2000 he won the World Singles Championship. A civil servant, he also enjoys Golf and Football.

Paul Daly 達 里

football

Kowloon Bowling Green Club 九龍草地滾球會



Noel Kennedy 肯尼迪

Noel is Hong Kong's most consistent bowler and has won many national tournaments. His record in Hong Kong is second to none. Although heavily committed to his profession, he has also represented Hong Kong on numerous occasions, earning a well respected name in most of the overseas international events, indoor and outdoor. Noel was winner of the Classic Singles in 1994 and the Pairs in 1988.

Heron Lau 劉曉昂

Heron works as a Financial Planning Officer in an Insurance Company. He made himself one of the most up and coming bowlers in Hong Kong after the stunning performance finishing 1st-runner up in the Singles and quarter-finalist in the Pairs in the Silver Jubilee Hong Kong International Bowls Classic 2005. Heron continued his performance in 2006 by winning the Tiger Bowls International 2006, National Indoor Singles and a finalist of the National 4's which will be played on the grand final day. Other than that, Heron will represent Hong Kong in 2 of the World Bowls Tour events, the Scottish International Open and the World Indoor Singles Championship as well.

Kowloon Cricket Club 九龍木球會



Dawood Karamdin 田大偉

Dawood started bowling at 15 and had been playing for over 20 years. He represented Hong Kong at the Tan Sri Ahmed Saji Cup at Brunei in the year 2000 and the 1st Asian championship in the year 2001 which was held in Hong Kong. He won numerous club and national titles. This will be his fifth appearance at the Classics but this is his first time representing KCC.



K.K. Yeung 楊吉健

KK has been bowling for 12 years. He took part in 1st Asian Championship 2001 and 1st China Open 2006. He had played in Classic Pairs twice but this is the first time representing KCC.

LBA - Youth Development Team 香港青少年代表隊



Jerry Ng 伍展力 This is Jerry's third participation in the Hong Kong Classic. Having won the Pairs event in Brunei this summer; it may also enhance the confidence of this youth team veteran. Jerry works as a production officer for a sports TV channel. He will surely enjoy his time with Alan and try to provide surprising results.

Having played bowls for 6 year, Alan considers it his honor to attend HK International Bowls Classic 2006 under the name of HKYDT. Because he will soon be too "old" to be a youth player, this is his last year to represent HKYDT in Classic. He really treasures this opportunity and looks forward to having fun with all players.



香港國際 草地滾球精英賽 2006

Paul lives in Belfast and is a bank official who started to play bowls at the age of 16. In 1993 playing for Belfast club Belmont he won the Irish Junior Singles Championship. 3 years later was a member of the Irish Triples Winners and went on to win the British Isles Championship in the same year. Earlier this year in Australia he finished runner-up in the World Cup. For the past 10 years has been a member of the Irish International team. His other interest is





New Zealand 新西蘭



Paul Girdler 賈達拿

Singles winner of last year's 25th anniversary HK Classics, Paul is pleased to have earned a berth at this year's tournament for a chance to pit skills against the latest crop of talents and veterans of the game, as it is played right in the heart of one of the most vibrant and cosmopolitan cities in the world. A multi-faceted player, Paul delighted bowling enthusiasts last year with his all around game and gravity defying, flying jacks. Watch your heads!



Matt Gallop 加 諾

At age 18, Matt has been playing bowls for 12 years. He is the youngest of three children, part of a busy sporting family that competes to a high level at bowls and netball. He has lived all his life in Blenheim (Marlborough), one of the major wine growing areas in New Zealand, and is looking forward to experiencing the culture of Hong Kong, having previously only travelled to Australia several times for holidays and bowling tournaments.

Scotland 蘇格蘭



Neil Spiers 史比斯

Neil is 27 years old and works as an engineer in Livingston in Scotland . He has been playing bowls for 11 years and has won 5 club championships, 4 at his old club Ratho and 1 at Uphall Station, his new club. He has played for Scotland since 2002 having played 2 years in the Under 25 team before progressing into the senior team in 2004.



Wayne Hogg 賀格

Aged 26, Wayne has been playing bowls for around 12 years. His greatest bowling achievement so far would be winning the World Junior Cup in Australia earlier this year and he is looking forward to this years Hong Kong Classic with his fellow Scot, Neil Spiers. Wayne has recently moved from East Lothian in Scotland to Fife to stay with his fiancée Claire who is also here to support him.

Singapore 新加坡



Chia Tee Chiak 謝智捷

Chia Tee Chiak is a Principal Technical Officer. He has been playing bowls for 10 years and is now playing for the Singapore Power Club. He is the bronze medalist in the Singles event at the Asian Bowls Championship 2006. Golf is his favourite sport besides bowls.



Stephen Lo 盧洪昌

Stephen is fond of sports, especially lawn bowls which he considers the best of all. It gives him a moderate exercise, physical and mental. The sport is suitable for all ages and gender. For this reason, he devoted his time in the sport, participating and promoting it to others, even when he moved to work in Singapore.

South Africa 南非



Neil Burkett 貝 傑

Neil is the winner of 17 national titles back in South Africa and will be playing in his 9th Hong Kong Classic this year. He is the winner of a Bronze Medal at the 2006 Commonwealth Games in Melbourne. He is looking forward to coming back to Hong Kong catching up with the many friends he has made over the years.



Wayne Perry 培理

24 years old Wayne started playing bowls at age 14, after his father introduced him to the game. He won the South African National Singles title in 2006. He also played in the tri nations event in 2006. He received his SA Colours in 2005.

United States 美國



Jim Olson 奥臣

Jim was introduced to lawn bowling in 1994. He won the U.S. Singles Championships in 2003 and played in the World Singles Champion of Champions in 2004. Jim has been on the U.S. team since 2004 and won a bronze medal in triples at the 2005 Asia Pacific Championships. He is married to Robin (a member of the U.S. Ladies' team) and has three children and six grandchildren.

Chris Booth 布 夫



Running a landscape company in San Diego, CA takes most of Chris' time, but not so much that he can't play in his first Hong Kong Classic. Chris has a PhD in Strategic Management, and enjoys collecting books. San Diego Lawn Bowling Club is Chris's home club. He played at the North American Challenge 2006 and won a gold at the US Open Fours in 2005.

Victoria Lawn Bowls Club 維多利亞草地滾球會



Patrick Kwok 郭維聰

Patrick has been playing lawn bowls for about eight years. After retirement, he has spent most of his time to practice and prepare himself for this event. He represents Victoria Lawn Bowls Club and feels very excited and is looking forward to meet with overseas bowlers and friends from our local clubs.

Andrew Shing 盛裕安



Andrew has been playing lawn bowling for around 4 years. This is his first appearance and represents Victoria Lawn Bowls Club in Classic. He wishes to widen his horizons and make new friendships through the competition.

Wales 威爾斯



Gareth Thomas 湯瑪斯

Aged 26, Gareth works as a Civil Servant in Swansea and is engaged to be married. Hobbies include music, travel and sport, especially Aston Villa. His favourite food is Chinese. Having been a member of the junior national team both indoor and outdoor from 1997 till 2004, Gareth graduated to both senior teams in 2005. During his time in the junior team he won both national under 25 singles titles before going on to win the British Isles Championship and reaching the last 8 of the world junior singles.



Mike Prosser 普 沙

Mike is 40 years of age, single and works in the local inland revenue office in Cardiff. His outdoor club is Ely Valley and was first capped for Wales both indoor and outdoor in 1990, and has since been a regular on the international scene. A winner of numerous National titles at both disciplines and a hobby of horse racing, he is naturally looking forward to his first visit to Hong Kong.

Zhong Gang Zhi Ye 中港置業

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Ye Sui Ying 葉穗鷹

Mr. Ye Sui Ying is a 33 years old. He sponsored the "China Bowls Open 2006" in Shenzhen China. Mr. Ye has been a China International bowler since 2003 and has won many national titles over the years. Mr. Ye represented his country in Asian Bowls 2005, Asia Pacific Bowls Championship 2005, China Bowls Open 2006, Asian Lawn Bowls Championships 2006 and Michael Ashton Philips International Challenge Cup 2006. This is Ye's third time in Hong Kong International Classic.

Jacky Wong 黃仲鳴



Jacky has been involved in bowls for longer than most people (himself included) care to remember. He has represented Hong Kong and various clubs at previous Classics many times. This year he is playing for China and achieved International success by winning silver in the pairs at Asian Lawn Bowls Championships 2006 and also won silver in singles at Michael Ashton Philips International Challenge Cup 2006 in U.S.A.



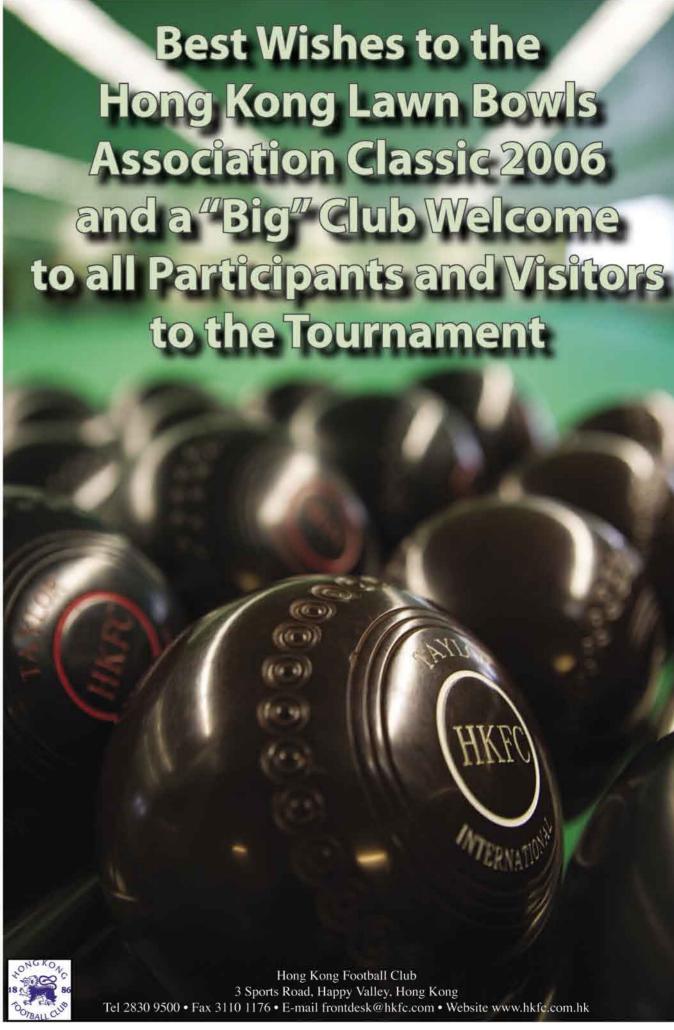




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